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Count Motokata, the Premier, and A.

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Mr. Babbitt, the Latin teacher of Punahou, has been spending the holidays at Mrs. H. G. Alexander's, Makawao.

For a week past Collector E. H. Bailey of Kahului has been very busy. On the 30th of December, the barkentine Mary Wingeman, Benneche master, arrived in Kahului, 13 days from San Francisco with a large cargo of general merchandise, consigned to the new firm of Alexander and Baldwin, for Paia and Hamakapoko plantations.

The same day, the schooner Mildred, Kindlen master, arrived in ballast six days from Honolulu. She will take away a cargo of H. C. Co.'s sugar.

The same day, also arrived the barkentine Eureka, Paulsen master, 17 days from Eureka, with a cargo of redwood for the Kahului R. R. Co.

Today the brig Lurline, McLeod master, sailed for the Coast laden with H. C. Co.'s sugar. She took two passengers, Mrs. Hintelberger who is returning to Germany, and a Japanese.

The weather has been unusually cold the thermometer falling to 53 degrees in Makawao (1,700 feet elevation) and to 47 degrees, 4,000 feet up in Kula.

### MUSIC ON MAUI.

#### The Spreckelsville Boys Now Have a Brass Band.

A Honolulu man writes the following items of interest from Spreckelsville plantation, Maui:

The excitement caused by the Police raiding camps on information received was as nothing compared with what took place on the arrival from the Coast, of the instruments for the Spreckelsville plantation brass band. Some few months ago, when the idea of forming a band was in its embryonic stage, Mr. G. Boote, the energetic manager of the above plantation, took hold of it and, heading a subscription list, collected in one night, sufficient to warrant immediately ordering about 20 pieces. Assistant Chemist Sculmeister, a musician of no mean ability, was chosen bandmaster. He with the usual vim and vigor which characterizes all his work, too hold, ordered music, selected his men and now they are forging ahead. Tuesday, January 11, 1898, has been fixed for a grand concert in the Spreckelsville hall.

The brass band hopes to be able to render several numbers. Mr. Boote has decided to build them a band stand and a committee has already staked off the ground, so that now. Professor Berger and Walkiki will not enjoy the monopoly of moonlight music and Sunday afternoon concerts.

New Year's eve was an occasion of mirth and merriment. The boys invited their friends to a social time. The latter, knowing from pleasant experiences the quality of these times, came trooping in from all directions. The Maui quintette club and the Spreckelsville orchestra alternated in music for dancing. This in turn was broken into by vocal and instrumental solos. The "Inimitable Van" (Surveyor Vander Nallen) proved a host in himself with his songs on local topics, solos on the drum and square dances. A song on annexation, sung by a stranger, was well received.

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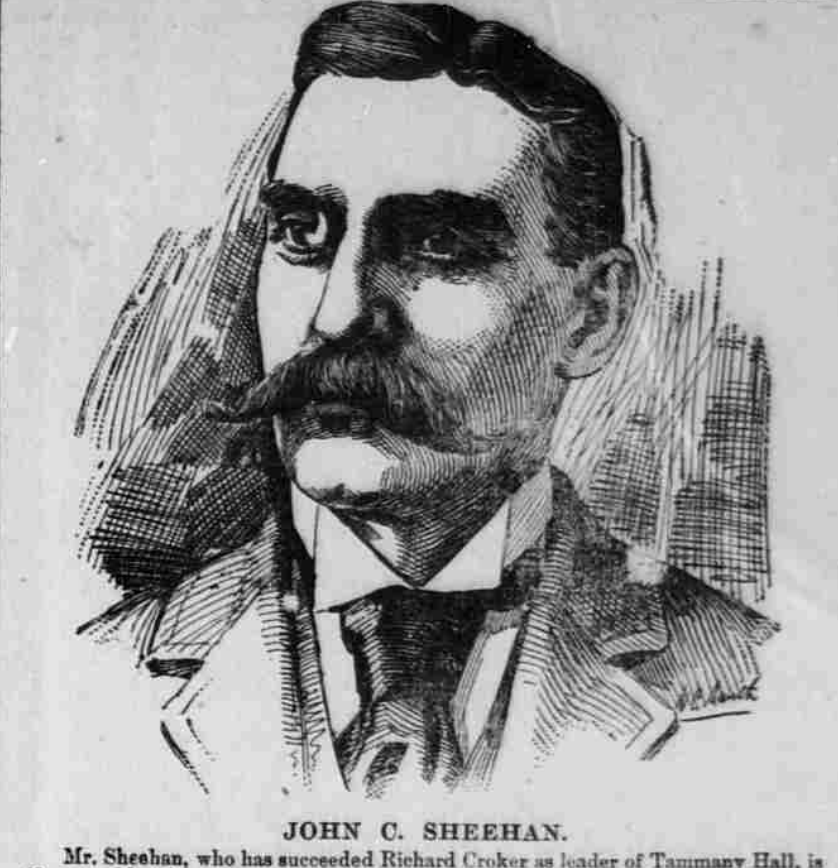
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Mr. Babbitt, the Latin teacher of Punahou, has been spending the holidays at Mrs. H. G. Alexander's, Makawao.

For a week past Collector E. H. Bailey of Kahului has been very busy. On the 30th of December, the barkentine Mary Wingel'man, Benneche master, arrived in Kahului, 13 days from San Francisco with a large cargo of general merchandise, consigned to the new firm of Alexander and Baldwin, for Paia and Hamakua-poko plantations.

The same day the schooner Mildred, Kindlen master, arrived in ballast six days from Honolulu. She will take away a cargo of H. C. Co.'s sugar.

The same day, also arrived the barkentine Eureka, Paulsen master, 17 days from Eureka, with a cargo of redwood for the Kahului R. R. Co.

Today the brig Lur'line, McLeod master, sailed for the Coast laden with H. C. Co.'s sugar. She took two passengers, Mrs. Hintelberger who is returning to Germany, and a Japanese.

The weather has been unusually cold the thermometer falling to 58 degrees in Makawao (1,700 feet elevation) and to 47 degrees, 4,000 feet up in Kula.

### MUSIC ON MAUI.

The Spreckelsville Boys Now Have a Brass Band.

A Honolulu man writes the following items of interest from Spreckelsville plantation, Maui:

The excitement caused by the Police raiding camps on information received was as nothing compared with what took place on the arrival from the Coast, of the instruments for the Spreckelsville plantation brass band. Some few months ago, when the idea of forming a band was in its embryonic stage, Mr. G. Boote, the energetic manager of the above plantation, took hold of it and, heading a subscription list, collected in one night, sufficient to warrant immediately ordering about 20 pieces. Assistant Chemist Sculmeister, a musician of no mean ability, was chosen bandmaster. He with the usual vim and vigor which characterizes all his work, too hold, ordered music, selected his men and now they are forging ahead. Tuesday, January 11, 1898, has been fixed for a grand concert in the Spreckelsville hall. The brass band hopes to be able to render several numbers. Mr. Boote has decided to build them a band stand and a committee has already staked off the ground, so that now Professor Berger and Waikiki will not enjoy the monopoly of moonlight music and Sunday afternoon concerts.

New Year's eve was an occasion of mirth and merriment. The boys invited their friends to a social time. The latter, knowing from pleasant experiences the quality of these times, came trooping in from all directions. The Maui quintette club and the Spreckelsville orchestra alternated in music for dancing. This in turn was broken into by vocal and instrumental solos. The "Inimitable Van" (Surveyor Vander Nallen) proved a host in himself with his songs on local topics, solos on the drum and square dances. A song on annexation, sung by a stranger, was well received.

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## A CONCERT SINGER

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One of Capt. Berger's Discoveries—Formerly of Kawaiahaeo. Many Songs—Miss Walker.

For a couple of years Capt. Berger has spoken at intervals of the scheme of securing a lady or several ladies for vocal work in the Government band. Dan Moe and David Nape, the solo singers of the organization, have not been available regularly. Mr. Moe has suffered with rheumatism lately and Mr. Nape has had a throat trouble. Capt. Berger mentioned casually his



MISS ANNIE KANOHO.  
(Chalk Plate Engraving by H. Roberts from Photo by Severin).

plan in the Executive building and elsewhere several times, but was always compelled to subside when he was asked to name a soprano. The veteran solved the problem however. He has had the satisfaction of having his plan adopted and of seeing it established as a success from the very first.

About three months ago Miss Annie Kanoho, a native young lady who had been in Kawaiahaeo seminary, but whose home is on Kauai, where her father is a minister, became a pupil of Capt. Berger, seeking to have her voice trained. Miss Kanoho has a brother and a cousin in the band, and thus belongs to an exceptionally musical family. Capt. Berger saw at once that the young lady had a voice of quality and that it was sufficient in volume for even outdoor singing. The young lady was drilled for more than two months before the matter of singing with the band was suggested to her. After much persuasion she agreed to make a trial. The initial attempt was made at the hospital, where concerts are given monthly for the patients. After this appearance it was clear to the bandmaster that Miss Kanoho would make a success in the part for which she had been selected. She was heard at Emma Square last Monday evening and the next day was placed on the pay roll as a member of the band. Miss Kanoho of course gives all the native songs readily. Her singing will not be confined to these numbers however. She will give the popular English and American ballads as they are brought over. Her principal selection for next Monday evening at Emma Square, for instance, will most likely be "Doris." Before appearing with the band Miss Kanoho had been heard at several entertainments, but she was a trifle nervous at first last Monday. This threatened attack of stage fright were off at once when the vocalist faced Capt. Berger.

The bandleader cheerfully does the extra work required by the enlistment of the new member. He uses the orchestra for her singing and with his own hands copies off his own arrangement for fifteen instruments for every selection.

At Makee Island next Sunday the band will give Miss Matilda Walker's latest composition, "Sounds from Makee Island." It is a pretty and entirely original selection. There is feeling and melody in it, Miss Walker is certainly to be congratulated.

At the band concert last Monday evening one of the numerous critics of the city was airing his views and remarked among other things on the skill and proficiency of the snare drummer in the Baltimore orchestra at the Minstrel show on Christmas night. Said this man who had probably never heard a better band than Milphas: "If Berger had a few men like that drummer in the Baltimore his band would be all right." It had just so happened that the regular drummer of the Baltimore band could not come ashore for the Minstrel show and that his place had been taken by Harry Ingham, the drummer in Capt. Berger's band.

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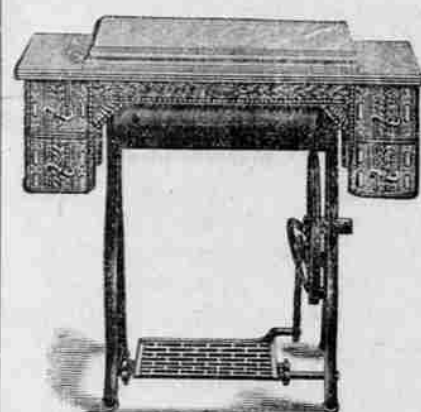
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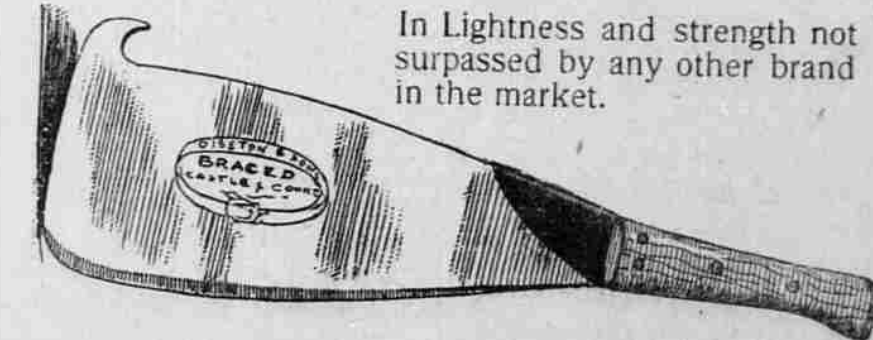
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W. N. ARMSTRONG, EDITOR.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1898

## A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

The Advertiser wishes a Happy New Year to the children. They have the beautiful illusions of hope. We wish that they may do better than many of us, who gathered, as Thoreau said, in our youth, the materials for building palaces, and throwing out bridges to the moon, but in our middle life, are quite content with turning them into plain woodsheds, and humble resting places.

And a Happy New Year to the young people, who have the concerns of love and marriage before them. "If Love be blind, marriage is an eye-opener."

And a Happy New Year to the old, who have traveled long on the highway, and now see the glimmer of the lights in the Wayside Inn.

"Where toil shall cease,  
And rest begin."

And a Happy New Year to the poor, but the poor are only those who feel poor, and "by desiring little, become rich."

And a Happy New Year to the unfortunate rich. "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, etc." The rich only are practically excluded and deserve the deepest sympathy. We fervently hope that the eye of the needle will grow larger or that naturalists will breed the camels down to the size of the microbes, or that the rich will abandon their wealth. The first two propositions are practicable. The last one is impracticable.

And we wish a Happy New Year to all of us, in our genial life, under this vast blue dome, with its brilliant visions of mountains and sea.

## "GOOD RESOLUTION" GARDENS.

As it was New Year's eve, and "Good Resolution" eve, yesterday, there was a general spading up of the many gardens of the souls, scattered through the town. Large quantities of the "good resolution" plants of the last year had died early. Some couldn't get their roots into any soil, and very many had lost their leaves under the ravages of the Japanese beetle of indolence. These were "turned under" as the gardeners say, being a sort of spiritual manure.

During the week there has been a brisk demand for "good resolution" seeds, from Birnie, Mackintosh & Company, dealers in horticultural morals, and under their printed directions for making such seeds sprout rapidly, there was some deep over-turning of garden soil that was uncommonly "sour" as the farmers say, for it needed light and air. Here and there the spades struck some vigorous perennials of the best "good resolution" stock which had been planted for years, and here and there were some hardy fruit trees of the same stock, which were laden with fruit, the ohias of good deeds.

The Angel of the Record, towards midnight came down and walked through the gardens which were prettily illuminated, and made some notes on the "good resolution" seeds and flowers, the names of which were written out on small slips of wood, that stood in the grounds. He noticed rows of "good little boy peas," "good little girl celery," "well behaved young woman gooseberries," "temperance cucumbers," "business morality sorghum," "good temper cabbage," "love your neighbor mushrooms," "forgive each other wormwood." The package of seeds marked "love your Asiatic neighbor asparagus," had on it the words, "rare, germinate slowly, must be

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The Angel of the Record walked through the many gardens, clean and well raked, and without weeds. He raised his hand, and gentle showers fell on all the beds and moistened the seeds.

As he was leaving one of the gardens, he noticed a little narrow bed, into which two small orphan girls had dug down, and with tiny fingers had planted the seeds of an American wild flower called the "life everlasting of love." It was in memory of their dead mother. The Angel leaned over it, for a moment in silence. A tear dropped from his eye on the earth and the seed quickened it, and as the Advertiser goes to the press room, after midnight, it hears that the "life everlasting" sprung up into bloom, and at sunrise this morning it will be heavy with perfume.

## THE ANNEXATION FLOOD

Did you ever stand upon the dam of a great reservoir and watch the rise of the waters towards the summit of the embankment, in the time of a spring flood? And did you ask yourself the question, will it overflow? or will the waters recede? or will they stand still? And, when you knew that the great body of water was fed from springs which covered a vast area, and were located a hundred miles away, and that no living human being had ever counted them all, or had gauged the rainfall you felt quite certain that any prediction you made about the rising flood was mere guess work. It might rise to an inch of the top, or it might rise high above the inch and overflow, and it might suddenly fall.

This is the condition of the annexation flood, at the last advices. The thousand political springs which run into it, may be increasing their waters. They may not. There may be heavy rains in the mountains that no one knows about. There may be unknown soakage. The flood may reach the top of the embankment in a week and overflow on Hawaii soil. And it may not. All we can now do is to watch the weather gauges, and make the fall of rain. If the waters recede, the "I told you so" people will shout. If the overflow takes place, the other lot of "I told you so" people will shout. Men, who are really no longer boys, will simply watch and wait. The next mail may bring some changes in the water gauges. We will wait and read.

## AN OLD QUESTION.

Forty-two years ago, the question put before one of the large literary societies of Yale College was: "Ought Cuba to be annexed to the United States?"

Three members of the college, at that time, now reside here and listened to the debate. Chauncey Depew, also a member, was present. The arguments in favor of annexation used today, were used then. The decision of the referee was not upon the merits of the question, but upon the merits of the speakers.

The strongest argument against annexation, at that time, was the existence of slavery in the island of Cuba, and the probable renewal of the slave trade, in the event of annexation.

Since that time, slavery has been abolished in Cuba, by decree of Spain, and abolished in the United States by "blood and iron."

The new issue now is the "Manifest Destiny" of the Americans. Sea crabs, once a year, out-grow their shells, and withdraw from them. Nature at once forms a new shell over them, and shortly they work out their own manifest destiny.

The American people have nearly out-grown their constitutional shell. It is hard and inflexible on

the line of Colonial Government. "Manifest Destiny" says that there must be a new shell, which will cover the new growth. The sea crab knows when to get out of his old shell. The great American crab does not know just what to do about it. Cuba and Hawaii make it think. When the sea crab is about to withdraw from his shell, he is called a "buster" and a small opening seam appears across his hard body. It is a sign that he is about to change. The seam is just now opening on the body of the American crab. Perhaps it will leave the old shell in a few weeks. It is almost a "buster."

## A PUBLIC RECEPTION.

Capt. Sam Burroughs, a back woodsmen of Tennessee, attended one of President Tyler's New Year's receptions. As he appeared in his shirt sleeves, one of the ushers quietly requested him to go to his rooms and get his coat, before entering the reception room. The blood of the Tennessean instantly flushed up to fever heat. He made at once some incisive, instructive and running commentaries on the origin and nature of American political institutions, and the relations of the President to the people. "That fellow in that," he shouted to the usher, "is the servant of the people. Me and my people in Tennessee is sovereigns, and the President ain't no better than d—n nigger in being obliged to do as the people tell him."

The wearing of the coat was not insisted on. Captain Burroughs shook President Tyler's hand, and made a bull's-eye of the spittoon on the other side of the room.

The wife of a foreign diplomat observing the incident remarked that she now saw, for the first time, the uncouth strength of democracy in America. The Captain was a rough diamond, but his descendants would in due time appear in all the manners and habits of the fashions of the old world.

Regarding the intercourse of the public and the Executive, the Sovereign people should, on great public occasions, stand up in sections, while the President and his official staff should appear before them, bow lowly in humility, and cover themselves with dust and ashes in token of their menial positions as public servants. But here, as elsewhere, a sort of Monarchical idea prevails, that the Executive is a political leader or master. There is something incongruous in the spectacle, however pleasant, of the head of the Nation dressed in plain clothes, while the subordinates are illuminated with gorgeous raiment.

"Mama," asked a little girl, as she saw for the first time, the brilliant staff of an American governor: "are those the Angel Gabriel and his boys? Where are their trumpets?"

As there is in Japan a serious controversy regarding the old and attractive native costumes of the people in contrast with modern European dress, so there is a controversy here, smothered at times, regarding the ancient and natural native Hawaiian dress, so becoming, so picturesque and so scanty and the modern European dress. The reception on New Year's day might well have been one in which all of the old natives costumes were revived, as if at a fancy ball. Should annexation take place, such a reception would be, perhaps, a fitting round up of the native nationality before it entered into the great nationality.

## THE DEFEAT OF A LAW.

When general public sentiment is not in favor of a law, it simply ignores it. The Maine Liquor law has been on the statute books of that State since 1850, and has never been enforced effectively. It did much good in limiting the sale of liquors, but it did not prohibit. It illustrates the failure of all laws which do not represent the average opinion. Although the law peremptorily forbade the sale of alcoholic liquor, it was defeated by a very practical, but illegal device. In Bangor, Maine, for instance, liquor was sold at retail by a number of men. Once a year they were brought before the Police Court, charged with violation of the law and were each fined \$100 for a year's offense. This sum was regarded as equivalent to a year's license to sell liquor. As the fines brought in a steady revenue to many of the towns, there were no serious or effective efforts made to enforce absolute prohibition in many places. The law stood on the statute book as a prohibition

measure, but the people turned it into a license measure by a practical fiction.

The laws of a country do not rise above the character of the people, unless the Government is despotic or an oligarchy. It is so here. The prohibition of the sale of liquor to a native, was the work of kings and chiefs, who wisely made the law without reference to the will of the native people. In the course of time, the power of the kings and chiefs declined, and the power of the natives increased, through the ballot box. They wished, as so many American communities wish, that liquor should be sold to themselves, and they prevailed. The king favored the change, because the natives desired it. The same principles of social evolution exist here, as they exist elsewhere. Laws that are "better" than the average people become obsolete in a democratic state.

## THE FORESTS.

We are sure that the Hilo Herald does not intend to criticize unfairly Dr. Maxwell's views regarding forest reservations. While he is engaged to promote the interests of the sugar planters, his opinions are altogether too broad to be influenced by any personal reasons. He may be in error about a matter which is not yet well understood. We see that the evidence on the subject of forest influence on rainfall is conflicting. Many facts tend to show that the fall of rain is entirely superior to the existence or non-existence of forests.

The best evidence of Dr. Maxwell's impartiality in the matter is his voluntary recommendation that Prof. Furnow be invited to examine and report on our forests, although Prof. Furnow declares that the argument for forests on the ground that they attract rain "is open to attack without sure defense."

To narrow the area of the coffee lands is a very serious matter, and it should not be done unless there is abundant evidence in favor of it.

One of the most important questions for the planters to debate is, the best means for preventing in so many places the waste of irrigation water. When they have conserved the visible water supply, and find it deficient, they can ask for special provisions for securing an additional supply.

## A MEMORABLE DUEL.

The Star and the Bulletin have closed a terrific newspaper duel about a large and noble tree standing in the newly opened Vineyard street. The Star wanted the tree removed. The Bulletin shook a red flag at the tree-destroying Star, with the words: "Woodman spare that tree" inscribed on it. At once the duel was on. Each paper used its own favorite weapon. That of the Bulletin was a Damascus blade, with the war cry of "bumptious flatulence" inscribed on it. The sight or hearing of these words inspires terror and flight. That of the Star is a modern Connecticut blade, carefully tempered, in a taro patch, with the war cry of "billion dyspeptic" engraved on it. The sight or hearing of these words also strikes terror and compelling fear into an enemy. Both war cries, used with singular effect on the Advertiser, were selected from an encyclopedia of newspaper invective, and are the most effective since the duels of the Knights of the Printers' Ink were introduced into Germany several centuries ago.

In the duel over the Vineyard street tree, the Star lunged its "billion dyspeptic" rapier at the Bulletin and nipped its ear. On the other hand, the Bulletin, with its own superb blade of "bumptious flatulence" cut the Star's ham strings, contrary to the code of duelling. Above the contestants, the air waves have been thrown into utter confusion by the piercing, sharp, relentless, snorting war cries that have driven the mynah birds over the Pali, and sent the goats flying from the Punchbowl slopes.

The duel is over now. The Vineyard street tree stands, as is should stand. The Bulletin yells to the tree-destroying Star, "foiled!" "foiled!" Keeping its lonely watch, in the still night air, paces the Knight of the Bulletin through Vineyard street, muttering "bumptious flatulence" at its fallen adversary. It is alone, solemn, ferocious and victorious.

## A FINE SUCCESS

Excellent Annual Concert by the Y. M. C. A.

## THE GUESTS LIKED IT ALL

Orchestra was a Feature—Some Singing That was Appreciated. Mandolin—An Address.

The concert in the Y. M. C. A. hall last evening was one that certainly reflects great credit on the association, under whose auspices it was given. Although the weather was very bad, the hall was crowded, every seat being taken and people finding it necessary to stand at the back part of the hall and on the stairway. The decorations were confined, for the most part, to the stage, palms and ferns prettily arranged, making a tropical effect.

At 8 o'clock, an amateur orchestra of 15 pieces, organized by Wray Taylor, took the stage and played Isserman's grand march, the "Iron Cross." This was very well done. Mr. Taylor has put in a great deal of time during the past fortnight getting together players and getting everything into shape for the concert. Their selections throughout the concert were excellently given.

Mr. Arthur Davies' tenor solo "Adieu Marie" was so well sung as to call forth an encore, but unfortunately for the audience, a polite bow was the only answer.

Miss Johnson's mandolin solo "Star of Love" was followed by a gavotte, "Silver Bells," by the orchestra. Then came a very sweetly sung soprano solo, "Star of My Heart" by Miss Emily Halstead. An encore was gracefully responded to.

Mr. A. E. Murphy, in his recitation, "Statue of Liberty," kept the audience in roars of laughter. As an encore he gave a short selection for the special benefit of the young ladies. A young man unable on account of the state of his pocket book, to give a lady the presents he so wishes to, catches and kisses her under the mistletoe when she, nothing daunted, turns bewitchingly toward him with the exclamation "That is just what I wanted."

An overture, "Dramatic," by the orchestra and a song, "Nymphs and Fauns," by Miss Johnson, were both very much enjoyed.

The ninth number on the program was to have been a mandolin quartette by B. L. Marx, A. Afong, N. Halstead and F. Hedemann, but on account of the illness of one of the number, this had to be omitted.

Mr. Taylor announced Mr. Theo. H. Davies who had given promise to make a five minutes' speech. Mr. Davies said in substance: "I am not quite sure whom I am to address and I am in the same state in regard to what I am to speak about. I only know that I am to speak five minutes, so I had better start in immediately."

"About two months ago, I was standing on the wharf watching the steamer Belgic just as she was about to cast off her lines for China and Japan. Aboard her was a British admiral, Sir Nowel Salmon. The band was playing on the wharf and Sir Nowel, I am sure, was enjoying the music, as well as the lovely scenes one is fortunate enough to be able to feast his eyes on while leaving this port.

"Suddenly Professor Berger stepped up to me and whispered something in my ear. It was a message I was sure would alter the whole character of the scene for Sir Nowel, could he but hear it. The message was this: 'The band came down here today in honor of the British Admiral.' Another such officer, Admiral Miller, was standing nearby and he immediately offered his orderly as a bearer of the message. The orderly ran up the gangway and told Sir Nowel. The whole character of the scene was changed for that man.

"I want to be that orderly tonight and I want to convey a message, particularly to the young men, who are about to embark. My message is the motto of the Y. M. C. A. for 1898: 'Be strong and work, for I am with you,' saith the Lord of Hosts.

"There are young men in this audience tonight who represent homes in another land and to them have come the wishes for a Happy New Year. You can make this a very happy year, if you will be but strong and work with a will. This is the message I would give you."

Mr. Davies then gave an illustration of strength and beauty. He referred to the ugly white house on Vineyard street near Nuuanu and the ugly surroundings. While these things were in existence, why was it that hardly anyone was cognizant of their existence. Simply because they happened to be overshadowed by a strong, beautiful tree. There was no room for the impression of meaner things to enter in. Mr. Davies ended his most heartily appreciated speech by wishing those whom he saw before him, a Happy New Year, in every sense of the word.

## CIRCUIT COURT NOTES.

Molokai Ranch to be Sold—About the Rooke Claims.

Bishop & Company disclaim any interest in the premises described in the complaint of M. F. Scott et al. vs. Mrs. Esther N. Pilipo. Friday they asked for dismissal with costs.

Kapea and Kaio have been given until January 4th for filing their bill of exceptions to the Circuit Court decision.

The guardian of Mary P. Apoe has been allowed to sell certain real estate in response to his petition to that effect.

Mary E. Burgess has filed a bill of \$141.74 costs in her successful suit against the Hawaiian Tramway Co.

The contestants of the will of Joseph Lazarus have been given until January 6th for filing their brief.

The trustees of the Bernice Pauahi Bishop Museum have filed their annual report.

By stipulation a hearing will be had on January 12th in the Rooke-Queen's Hospital—Bishop trustees cases.

Judgment to the amount of \$192.65 and costs of 29.30 has been entered in the case of Joseph Kanaokomoku vs. George Forsythe.

Judgment was rendered Congdon and company yesterday for \$91 and costs of \$16.70 in their suit against F. S. Cutter.

Henry Smith as Commissioner is to pay over \$68.75 remaining in the estate of Josephine Maikiki to Kahalekahanui on Molokai.

Chung Sol may have three days more in which to file his exceptions to the decision rendered in the suit brought against him by Kwong Lee Wai.

The suit brought by the H. C. and Sugar Company vs. Kahului Railway Company was before Judge Stanley yesterday.

## MORTUARY REPORT.

The total number of deaths reported for the month of December, 1897, was 81, distributed as follows:

Under 1 year.....	21	From 30 to 40.....	11
From 1 to 5.....	6	From 40 to 50.....	12
From 5 to 10.....	3	From 50 to 60.....	4
From 10 to 20.....	3	From 60 to 70.....	8
From 20 to 30.....	7	Over 70.....	6
Males.....	52	Females.....	29
Hawaiians.....	49	Great Britain.....	3
Chinese.....	9	United States.....	2
Portuguese.....	7	Other nationalities.....	2
Japanese.....	9		
Total.....	81		
Unattended.....	25		
Non-Residents.....	1		

## COMPARATIVE MONTHLY MORTALITY.

Dec. 1893.....	55	Dec. 1896.....	54
Dec. 1894.....	75	Dec. 1897.....	81
Dec. 1895.....	69		

## CAUSE OF DEATH.

Ascites.....	1	Fever, Typhoid.....	2
Asthma.....	3	Fever, Puerperal.....	1
Apoplexy.....	1	Hanged.....	1
Burns.....	1	Heart Disease.....	1
Bronchitis.....	1	Hemorrhage.....	1
Bright's Disease.....	1	Inflammation.....	6
Beriberi.....	1	Inflammation.....	2
Childbirth.....	2	Opium.....	2
Group.....	2	Old age.....	1
Consumption.....	3	Pneumonia.....	4
Cancer.....	4	Pleurisy.....	1
Convulsions.....	2	Peritonitis.....	1
Cataract.....	1	Paralysis.....	3
Diphtheria.....	5	Parasite.....	1
Dyspepsia.....	1	Rheumatism.....	1
Enteritis.....	1	Rupture.....	1
Fever.....	3	Suicide.....	2
Fever, Malarial.....	1	Stomach Trouble.....	2
		Unknown.....	7

## DEATHS BY WARDS.

Wards.....	1	2	3	4	5	Out-
Deaths.....	15	23	14	12	15	0

Annual death rate per 1000 for month 32.40

Hawaiians..... 31.13

Asiatics..... 21.90

All other nationalities..... 29.76

C. B. REYNOLDS,  
Agent Board of Health.

## Merit Talks

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## Severe Case of Dyspepsia

"I suffered from dyspepsia 20 years. I had a feeling as though there was a lump in my stomach. I did not dare to eat meat or warm bread, very few vegetables, for fear of the great distress food caused me. I experienced relief right after commencing to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. My appetite increased, I gained in general health and strength. I can eat almost anything now without discomfort. Although I had been an invalid for twenty years, I can truthfully say that I am better than for a long time. I never weighed so much in my life." MRS. EMILY F. BUMP, 45 Portland Street, Middleboro, Mass.

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## MANY BULL'EYES

Walter E. Wall's Official Record  
of Two "Possibles."

## SOME NICE ROWS OF FIGURES

What the Sharpshooters Have Been  
Doing—Waterhouse Trophy—Re-  
Entry—First Regiment.

The Sharpshooters did some of their  
very best 1897 shooting in the last  
month of the year, and Captain Dodge  
was able to enjoy the holidays. These  
are the records for the month of De-  
cember:

## FIRST TEAM.

Wall, W. E.	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	50
Wall, A. C.	4 5 5 4 5 5 5 5 5 5	48
McVeigh	5 5 4 5 5 4 5 5 5 5	48
Forbes	5 4 4 5 4 5 5 5 5 5	47
Dodge	5 4 5 5 5 4 4 5 5 5	47
Berry	4 5 5 5 5 4 5 5 4 5	47
Emerson	4 5 5 4 5 4 5 4 5 5	46
McLean	4 5 5 4 5 4 5 4 5 5	46
Cassidy	4 4 5 4 5 4 5 5 5 5	45
Gibson	4 5 5 4 4 5 5 4 5 5	45

## SECOND TEAM.

Farnsworth, J.	5 4 4 4 4 5 5 4 5 5	44
Gere	4 4 4 4 5 4 5 5 5 4	44
Chamberlain, H. C.	5 5 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4	44
Chamberlain, J. C.	5 4 5 5 4 5 4 4 4 4	44
Wood, A. B.	3 5 5 5 5 4 3 5 4 4	44
Harker	4 5 4 4 4 4 4 5 5 4	43
McCandless, J. S.	4 4 4 5 4 4 5 4 4 4	43
Tracy	4 5 4 4 4 5 4 5 4 4	43
Burgess	5 5 4 4 4 3 4 5 5 4	43
Emerson, J. S.	4 5 4 4 5 3 5 4 5 4	43

## THIRD TEAM.

Atherton	4 4 5 4 3 5 4 4 4 5	42
Ewing	5 4 3 4 4 5 5 4 4 4	42
Walcott	4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4	41
Giles	5 4 4 4 4 5 4 4 4 3	41
McCandless, L. L.	4 5 4 5 5 4 4 3 4 3	41
Sorenson	4 3 5 4 3 4 4 4 4 5	40
Oat	4 4 5 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	40
Martin	4 4 5 4 4 2 4 3 5 4	39
Wood, Edgar	5 4 4 4 3 3 4 4 4 4	39
Keach	5 4 5 4 4 3 4 4 3 3	39

## WATERHOUSE TROPHY.

These are Waterhouse trophy scores  
from July 1st to December 31st, 1897.  
This is a 200-yard handicap match. No  
sighting shots allowed. Each score to  
be the first of the day. Average of the  
10 scores to count, with handicap allow-  
ance:

	Aver.	Hand.	Total.
A. B. Wood	42.8	3.5	46.3
A. C. Wall	45.2	1.0	46.2
N. B. Emerson	42.6	3.5	46.1
W. J. Forbes	44.0	2.0	46.0
F. H. Berry	42.9	3.0	45.9
F. S. Dodge	43.4	2.0	45.4
W. E. Wall	45.3	scratch	45.3
John Cassidy	41.8	3.5	45.3
J. L. McLean	43.7	1.0	44.7

Match to be continued until June 30,  
at 500 yards.

## RE-ENTRY MATCH.

This is a class contest. Distance,  
200 yards, off hand. Scores in the  
first-class:

	WALL, W. E.
July 31	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5
Aug. 14	5 5 5 4 5 5 5 5 5 5
Sept. 22	5 5 5 5 4 5 5 5 5 5
Oct. 30	5 5 5 5 4 5 5 5 4 5
Oct. 20	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 4 5
Nov. 26	5 5 5 5 5 4 5 5 5 4
Dec. 4	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 4
Dec. 25	5 5 5 5 5 4 5 5 5 4
Dec. 27	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5
Dec. 31	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 4 5 4

Average 45.5

	WALL, A. C.
Sept. 25	5 4 5 4 5 5 5 4 5 5
Sept. 29	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 4 5 4
Oct. 6	5 5 5 5 4 5 5 4 5 4
Oct. 13	4 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 4 4
Oct. 30	5 5 5 5 5 4 5 5 5 3
Nov. 5	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 4 4 4
Nov. 20	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 4 4 4
Nov. 27	5 5 5 5 5 4 5 5 4 4
Dec. 1	4 5 5 5 5 5 5 4 5 4
Dec. 3	4 5 5 4 5 5 5 4 5 4

Average 47.2

There was no entry for the second  
class. Third class scores:

	LIEUT. J. CASSIDY.
Aug. 24	4 5 5 4 5 5 5 4 5 4
Oct. 29	4 5 4 5 4 5 5 5 4 4
Nov. 17	4 4 5 4 5 5 5 5 4 4
Nov. 24	4 4 4 5 4 5 5 5 5 4
Nov. 25	4 4 5 4 5 5 5 4 5 4
Nov. 25	4 4 5 4 5 5 5 4 5 4
Nov. 26	4 4 5 5 4 5 5 4 5 4
Nov. 27	4 4 5 5 4 5 5 4 5 4
Nov. 27	4 4 4 5 5 4 5 5 4 4
Nov. 27	4 4 4 4 5 5 5 4 5 4

Average 45.4

## BERRY, Q. H.

Oct. 2	5 5 4 3 5 5 5 4 4 5	45
Oct. 16	5 5 5 4 4 5 5 5 4 5	47
Oct. 22	5 5 5 4 4 5 4 4 4 5	45
Oct. 27	4 5 3 4 4 5 5 5 5 5	45
Oct. 29	5 4 5 5 5 4 4 4 4 5	45
Nov. 3	4 5 5 4 4 4 4 4 5 5	45
Nov. 3	5 4 4 5 5 4 4 4 5 5	46
Nov. 13	5 5 4 5 4 5 4 5 4 5	46
Nov. 19	5 4 5 4 4 5 4 4 5 4	45
Dec. 3	5 5 5 4 5 5 4 5 4 5	47

Average 45.6

There is but one man in the fourth  
class. His average would entitle him,  
seemingly to be in the third class, but  
he made three scores under 45. Here  
is the man and record:

## DR. N. B. EMERSON.

Nov. 5	5 4 5 4 4 5 5 4 5 5	45
Nov. 5	4 4 4 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	47
Nov. 26	4 4 4 5 4 5 5 5 5 5	46
Dec. 10	4 5 4 4 5 4 4 5 4 4	44
Dec. 10	5 4 4 5 4 5 4 5 4 5	46
Dec. 17	4 5 4 4 4 5 4 4 5 4	44
Dec. 17	4 5 4 4 4 5 4 4 5 4	44
Dec. 21	4 5 4 5 4 5 4 5 4 5	46
Dec. 29	5 4 4 5 4 5 3 5 4 5	44
Dec. 31	5 4 4 5 4 5 4 4 5 4	45
Dec. 31	5 4 5 4 5 4 4 5 4 5	45

Average 45.6

The "re-entry" conditions were:  
To those scoring 10 scores of 47 or  
over—Gold medal, 1st Class; to those  
scoring 10 scores of 46 or over—Gold  
medal, 2d Class; to those scoring 10  
scores of 45 or over—Gold medal, 3d  
Class; to those scoring 44 or over—  
Silver medal, 4th Class; to those scoring  
of 10 scores of 43 or over—Silver  
Medal, 5th Class.

The great feature of this showing is  
of course Walter E. Wall's two "possi-  
bles" within six months. He is the  
champion. J. L. McLean and Captain  
Kidwell have not been able to shoot.  
McLean was at one time Wall's rival  
for first place.

## REGIMENT WINNERS.

Following is a correct showing of the  
result of the N. G. H. medal shoot just  
concluded:

Field and Staff—Silver—Col. Sergt.  
J. F. Clay 41, Ordnance Sergt. Chas.  
Ervin 41; Bronze—Capt. J. W. Pratt  
39.  
Company A—Silver—Sergt. Peterson  
42, Mus. Bortfeld 41, W. Bolster 40;  
Bronze—Lieut. Klemme 39, Sergt. Pet-  
ter 35, Corp. Fitzsimmons 36, Corp.  
Smith 39, Dushalsky, Gunderson, Voss  
35, Grundell 37.  
Company B—Silver—Capt. White,  
W. R. Riley 40, Sergt. Weedon 41;  
Bronze—Oleson 39.  
Company C—Silver—Capt. Camara  
41, Pvt. Costa 40; Bronze—Lieut. Costa  
35, Geo. Lewis 35.  
Company D—Gold—Sergt. Burnette  
46; Silver—Sergt. Sam Johnson 44, But-  
ler 41, Harris 42, Treadway 40, Sergt.  
Cook 43; Bronze—Capt. Bergstrom,  
Lieut. Timmons, Pvt. Smith 38, Pvt.  
Willis 36, C. Mitchell 37, Devanchelle  
37.

Company E—Gold—Capt. Coyne 46;  
Silver—Joe Gouvea, Jones 40, Ferreira  
41, Whitehead 43; Bronze—Lieut. Ev-  
enson 37, Sergt. J. W. F. Miller 38,  
Corp. Seybold 36; Corp. Wind 38, Corp.  
Overbeck 39, Corp. Scanlan 38, Bower  
36, Davis 39, Duncan 38, Florrel 29,  
Franz, Faneuf, Kiley, Silva 36, Speck-  
man, Scott, John Gouvea 35.  
Company F—Gold—Lieut. Ludwig 45;  
Silver—G. Bechert, Hillebrand, Petter-  
sen 40, Mus. Austin, Hanevo'd 41, Lu-  
hiwa 42, Sergt. Morris-Read 43, S.  
Gumfarr 44; Bronze—Sergt. Steinman,  
Corp. Walburn, F. Bechert, Mulleiner,  
Pelper, 35; Wissneg, J. St. Clair, Per-  
riera, von Klaeden, Joe Cook, 36; Sergt.  
Dahlstrom 37, Corp. Hirschman 38,  
Corp. Friedersdorff, Corp. Kilbey,  
Schule 39.

Company G—Silver—Corp. Kallike  
40, Lieut. Kekumano 41, Chas. Wilcox  
42, Lieut. Rose, Mus. Rose, Mahoney,  
Mus. Cummins 43; Bronze—Jas. Morse,  
Kauwe, Capt. Kea 35, Corp. Koo, Wal-  
lace 36, Karamati, I. Sherwood 37, Jos.  
Morse, L. Kukahi, Sergt. Nakula 39.  
Company H—Bronze—Lieut. Carlye  
39, Corp. Souza 38, Corp. Rassmussen  
35.

On account of being busy during the  
holiday season a good many of the Re-  
giment members failed to try for  
medals.  
**CITIZENS' GUARD.**  
Appended are medal awards to Cit-  
izens' Guards men by Marshal Brown:  
Gold—Charles Everett 441, J. Bat-  
chelor 432, C. L. Crabbe 423, J. L. Tor-  
bert 406, Otto Oss 406, V. J. Fargeer-  
roos 405, R. W. Atkinson 405, W. F.  
Story 400.  
Silver—Thomas Carpenter 396, E. L.  
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lingham 390, H. W. Gahan 388, E. P.  
Mabie 386, George Lucas 384, George  
H. Green 381.  
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son 373, Wm. Evans 372, S. Greene 371,  
C. B. Wells 365, J. A. Baker 353, J. E.  
Thompson 350, George L. Desha 378.

## From Hawaii.

Among the arrivals on the Claudine  
yesterday afternoon were the follow-  
ing:  
C. L. Wight, who has been to the  
coffee districts of both Oahu and Puna  
for the purpose of looking into his  
interests there.

Mrs. N. K. Eldredge of Kohala, who  
comes down to spend the New Year's  
with her people here. Mrs. Eldredge  
is a sister of Samuel Parker of this  
city.  
F. Sousa of Gautamaia, who some  
time ago went to the coffee districts of  
Hawaii for the purpose of inspecting  
the coffee there.

## Engaged.

The engagement of Miss Harriet  
Blanche McGuire of this city, to Mr. Otto  
William Rose of Hilo, is announced.  
Both young people are very well known.

Persons who are troubled with in-  
digestion will be interested in the ex-  
perience of Wm. H. Penn, chief clerk  
in the railway mail service at Des  
Moines, Iowa, who writes: "It gives  
me pleasure to testify to the merits of  
Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diar-  
rhoea Remedy. For two years I have  
suffered from indigestion, and am sub-  
ject to frequent severe attacks of pain  
in the stomach and bowels. One or  
two doses of this remedy never fails  
to give perfect relief. Sold by all drugg-  
ists and dealers. Benson, Smith &  
Co., agents for Hawaiian Islands."

## SAW NEW YEAR IN

Consul-General and Mrs.  
Haywood Entertain.

A Very Brilliant Gathering at Their  
Beretania Street Resi-  
dence.

More than two hundred people  
danced the old year out and the new  
year in at a most enjoyable dance  
given at their residence last night by  
United States Consul-General and Mrs.  
Haywood. The dance was given in  
honor of the United States naval offi-  
cers in port. The three ships, the Bal-  
timore, the Bennington and the Adams  
sent their full corps of officers in full  
dress uniform, and a fine appearance  
they made. They nearly all arrived  
shortly after 9 o'clock and the recep-  
tion followed immediately.

Consul-General and Mrs. Haywood  
and Admiral Miller received in the large  
parlor of the residence at the left of  
the main entrance. The room was  
divested of nearly all the furniture,  
as were the remaining rooms on the  
lower floor of the house. In the parlor  
vases of pinks and cut roses and maid-  
en hair fern were placed on the piano  
and the tables in the corners. Nearly  
all the guests arrived at about the  
same time and the dancing followed  
without delay.

For the dancing a spacious lanai was  
temporarily erected on the lawn. The  
steps from the side veranda led di-  
rectly into the lanai. The decorations  
for this ball room were simple. Large  
American and Hawaiian flags formed  
the ceiling and were hung about the  
sides as tapestries. Vines were en-  
twined about the rafters and the rail-  
ing at the sides. The end looking  
makai was left without draperies.  
Huge palms and ferns were placed on  
the ground and allowed the cool air  
to penetrate into the lanai.

The air was appreciated. Early in  
the evening slight showers threatened  
to spoil the evening. They failed to  
materialize later and the moon was  
propitious. The lanai was amply lighted  
by many electric lamps. The floor  
was springy and not too slippery. It  
was patronized continuously.

The side of the lanai nearest the  
house was also left open. Seats were  
placed on the veranda, forming a bal-  
cony from which the dancing could be  
seen. The Admiral's band from the  
Baltimore furnished the music. They  
were stationed at the side and were  
separated from the floor by a row of  
potted palms.

The residence is commodious and  
easily accommodate all the guests.  
All the lower rooms were utilized.  
They were also decorated. For the  
benefit of those who did not care to  
dance, seats were placed outside on the  
long veranda. There was lemonade  
for the dancers at the entrance to the  
lanai. The wishes of the men were  
met in the guise of a smoking room  
at one end of the veranda, near the  
coat room.

There were fifteen numbers on the  
program. The fourteenth was a waltz  
and it was calculated that midnight  
would be reached at this time. But the  
midnight hour arrived during the  
thirteenth number and eight bells  
were struck twice on a ship's ball  
hung beneath the large banyan tree  
on the front lawn. Instantly the band  
changed from a waltz to the "Star  
Spangled Banner" and hearty greetings  
of the new year and well wishes were  
exchanged by the guests with their  
genial host and hostess and with one  
another. The remainder of the pro-  
gram was then completed, finishing  
with an old time "Virginia Reel."

During the course of the evening the  
doors of the dining room were opened  
and a delicious supper was served,  
of salads, fish, meats and ices.

The function was a most brilliant  
one. President and Mrs. Dole, Minister  
of Foreign Affairs and Mrs. Cooper  
were there. In addition to Admiral  
Miller and staff and the officers of the  
naval vessels, members of the diploma-  
tic and consular corps were present,  
including United States Minister Sew-  
all, Japanese Minister Shimamura,  
Senhor Canavaro, The Princess Kai-  
ulani and Mr. A. S. Cleghorn were  
also present as were many of the lead-  
ing society ladies of Honolulu, hand-  
somerly gowned.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

January 17th will be the next holi-  
day.

The "advertised" letter list appears  
today.

The Government schools all re-open-  
ed yesterday.

Government accounts are to be closed  
on the 15th inst.

Sunday was the anniversary of the  
birth of Queen Emma.

The number of 1897 December deaths  
was unusually large and the rate high.

Walluku Sugar Company took up its  
\$200,000 of outstanding bonds yester-  
day.

"Opium Brown has come." This is  
positively the first rumor of the New  
Year.

The lineal descendants of Dr. S. P.  
Judd, now number 67, of whom 11  
were born out of the Islands.

The area of surveyed land on Ha-  
waii, especially in the favored coffee  
districts, is becoming quite limited.

The next big sporting event will be  
the field day of January 17. The games  
may be held on the baseball grounds.

Queen Dowager Kaploani was out  
for a short drive Sunday. She listen-

ed for a while to the band at Makee  
Island.

As a builder, nothing excels Malt  
Nutrine. Per dozen, \$3.50; single bot-  
tle, 35 cents. Hollister Drug Co., sole  
agents.

Monday, January 17th, 1898, will be  
observed as a national holiday and all  
Government offices throughout the Re-  
public will be closed on that day.

The report that the Hollister Drug  
Co., has disposed of the Hilo Drug  
Company business is incorrect. Nego-  
tiations have been pending, but no deal  
has been made.

Rumor has it that the manager of  
one of Maui's largest plantations is  
shortly to become a benedict. The  
lady in question is a fair one from one  
of the Southern States.

Some oranges that may be described  
as having the California size and tex-  
ture with the Hawaiian flavor, were re-  
ceived at this office yesterday from  
Mr. Holstein, of Anuini ranch, Ha-  
waii. The fruit was delicious.

The pupils of Mr. Mackintosh's Sun-  
day school who live out on the plains  
(some 40 in number) are called for  
every Sunday morning by one of the  
large busses. The young ones appre-  
ciate very much the thoughtfulness of  
their pastor.

Geo. R. Carter and Clarence H. Cooke  
have been admitted as partners in the  
Hawaiian Safe Deposit & Investment  
Co., Mr. Carter acting as manager.  
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the office of Mr. C. M. Cooke, rear of  
Bank of Hawaii.

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J. A. KING,  
Minister of the Interior.  
Interior Office, January 3, 1898.  
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## PUBLIC LANDS NOTICE.

On Saturday, February 5th, 12 o'clock  
noon, at the front entrance of the Judi-  
ciary Building, Honolulu, will be sold  
leases of the following lands, viz:

- 1—KAAHUHUU, KOHALA. 583  
acres. Term, 15 years from May 1,  
1898. Upset rental, \$1,400 a year.
- 2—KAAHUHUU, KOHALA. 100  
acres. Term, 15 years from May 1,  
1898. Upset rental, \$300 a



## BOUND FOR HOME

Interesting Trip in Japan Brought to an End.

### VEXATIOUS DELAYS AT LAST

Steamer Trip Through Channels. Optimistic and Pessimistic Views.

(Special Correspondence.)

Yokohama, November 10, 1897.  
EDITOR P. C. A.—We sailed out of Nagasaki harbor just before sunset, very nearly the same time of day that we left it when going off to Shanghai. We steamed slowly along the coast so as to enter Shimoda straits about 6 a. m., which we came through at sunset on our outward voyage. It took us about an hour to pass through and out into the open sea. About 4 p. m. we entered the Narrows, the Eastern entrance to the Inland Sea, and it took us about an hour to make this passage out into the ocean. This voyage through the Inland Sea was not so pleasant as on the outward trip, for the sky was overcast; and dull leaden skies produce a feeling of depression much more on shipboard than on land. We were thankful, however, for the sunrise view of the straits at the Western entrance, and the sunset glimpses of the Narrows as we sailed out at the Eastern.

We were due at Kobe in the early morning, but 200 sampans came off to the vessel. So we waited patiently till breakfast was over, and then took the company's launch for the Bund. A letter had been sent off to us inviting us to take tiffin at Miss Gerdy's, once the Gulick home, where we had been so pleasantly entertained while waiting for the steamer outward bound. We were anticipating a pleasant day ashore when we read the notice, "Company's launch leaves the Bund at 2 p. m. Gaelic sails at 3 p. m." It is 27 hours' sail from Kobe to Yokohama and the Captain was anxious to get there before sun down. We hurried up our visiting on shore, and were on board punctually. But just at the last minute there came off a lighter full of freight; and we were detained two hours, just long enough to make arrival at Yokohama at any reasonable hour an impossibility. There was a great quantity of sake tubs taken on board for Honolulu and hundreds of boxes of Mandarin oranges for San Francisco. Hugh boxes of fans, and other manufactures from Osaka filled full the cavernous hold of the steamer. We had a rough passage around the projecting coast line, for the Black stream as it reaches the coast of Japan is deflected both ways, and this parting of the seas is accompanied with much tossing and rolling of wave and wind. We kept steadily on, but the daylight faded away as steadily, and when we approached Yokohama it was too late to enter within the breakwater. It grew colder as it grew darker, until the thermometer stood at 48 deg. As we were preparing the next morning to hoist anchor and steam in within the breakwater, it was very provoking to see the S. S. China coming up under full steam and passing by us, to the anchorage. That meant two hours more delay for us, and we regretted this the more that the closing hours of our stay in Japan would be few at the best, and every hour was needed to accomplish what we had planned.

But there was nothing to do, but what an experienced traveler must have to do, make the best of present circumstances and not to fret over delays and disappointments that come to the traveler more frequently than to the average mortal. We were thankful that we had so pleasant a hotel to welcome us at the Grand hotel. Mr. Effinger is a model landlord, giving personal attention to every guest. We found the hotel crowded with so many steamers arriving at one time; but the resources of the Grand are abundant, both in the number of its rooms, and the ability to provide generously for the full tables of its spacious dining hall.

We met some familiar faces and one of the pleasures of travel is to come unexpectedly upon friends and acquaintances of former days. But the great caravansary had more strangers than acquaintances, and we were again impressed, not only with the littleness of this globe of ours that we can now circumnavigate in sixty days but were equally impressed with the small importance of any individual among the swarming myriads of human kind. We had our special plans to carry out, however, that were matters of supreme importance to ourselves, more particularly the purchase of some articles that had been put off till the last moment.

And here let me say that our experience in Japan as to buying what one wants, leads to the conviction that delay is dangerous. What is seen and desired should be purchased at once. There are no great manufacturing factories of some one article, but most of the manufacture of Japan is of a single piece by a single workman. Any article of artistic merit, one that meets some want, must be bought then and there. Its duplicate is not to be had to order, nor if the opportunity for purchase is allowed to slip by will a fresh opportunity occur again.

Friends who had entertained us at Tokyo came to Yokohama to urge us to make them a final visit. There was

to be a Chrysanthemum show at Count Okumura's. We had not seen a tithe of the attractions of the Imperial city, but we were obliged to decline all these kind invitations, though if there is a pleasanter home and a more genial family life than the MacNau household in all Japan, we were not privileged to find it. Yokohama has its own attractions. Its stores are larger, better fitted for the display of goods, the variety of wares is greater, and their excellence of a higher grade, than in any other place in Japan. One of the pleasures of a visit to Japan is the pleasure of buying rare or useful articles at a very moderate price, and any one who knows how dear to a woman's heart is the wonderful bargain that she can make may anticipate the greatest delight in a trip to Japan.

It is a wonderful country to visit. There is so much that is new and strange; the facilities for travel make it so easy to get about; the scenery is so attractive, the people so affable, customs are so peculiar, expenses are so moderate, that a trip to Japan ought to become more and more within the plans of those who have the time and money to seek recreation, or respite from care, in the pleasures of travel. And yet the tourist would not be tempted to make a second visit, for it would be to repeat the same experiences with little that would be new or different. The principal places of interest in Japan can all be visited in three weeks' time, though so brief an itinerary as that requires more strength and endurance than ordinary tourists can afford. A two months' trip gives ample time to see, and sufficient leisure to study and appreciate the novel sights and strange experiences. In these letters I have tried to hold the balance fairly between the indiscriminate praise which has been so fulsomely lavished on the country and the people of Japan and the pessimistic view which sees nothing good or pleasing in a nation and a land so full of interest to the tourist whose eyes are not blinded by prejudice. I append some verses I have picked up, that fittingly express these two differing views.

#### TWO VIEWS OF JAPAN.

(The optimistic.)

Oh fair Japan! Oh rare Japan!  
Thou land of ancient trees,  
Where lotus blossoms fringe the path,  
And perfume every breeze;  
Where lilies bend their fragrant heads  
To kiss thy plashing streams,  
And dark skinned nansans, almond eyed,  
Wake long forgotten dreams.

Thy hills, crown capped with sacred groves,  
Enclose thy gilded shrines;  
In grottoes where the iris blooms  
Droop sweet wistaria vines.  
Mysterious languor seems to hang  
O'er mountain plain, and rill:  
An unreality of life  
Doth all the senses fill.

Thine ancient shrines to Buddha blest,  
With Shinto's gilded spires,  
Proclaim a soul sustaining rest,  
And ecstasy inspires.  
Oh sweet it is to dwell in thee,  
Land of the Rising Sun,  
Where beauty, age, and mystery,  
Combine themselves in one.

(The pessimistic.)

Oh, hang Japan! Oh, dang Japan!  
A land of gnats and fleas,  
Where noxious odors fill the air,  
And float on every breeze.  
Where men run naked in the streets,  
Wear spectacles for clothes,  
And old and young, and rich and poor,  
Eschew the use of hose.

Oh land devoid of knives and forks,  
Of tables, chairs and beds!  
Where women black their teeth, and shave  
Their little babies' heads.  
I've had enough: I have no use  
(A quiet New York man)  
For all this nude simplicity  
Careering round Japan.

I've had enough of cloisonnee;  
Of ivory carvings, too:  
Of ancient, rare Satsuma jugs,  
(Which probably are new).  
I hate the sight of Buddha fat;  
He's too infernal calm!  
And temples, shrines, red lacquer ware,  
And daimios, I damn!

Boy, bring my clothes up from the wash.  
As quickly as you can.  
Sir Edwin Arnold writes a lot  
Of bosh about Japan.  
I'm shivering cold; I'm wringing wet;  
I've been an idle dreamer:  
To Yokohama let me get  
And there aboard a steamer!

At Sea, November 19.  
Again we are doomed to disappointment. We had hoped to make the run from Yokohama to Honolulu, 3,293 miles, in 10 days, but though the propeller has made the requisite number of revolutions, strong currents and head winds have prevented us from making a daily average of 340 miles. We shall arrive too late in the evening to safely attempt the entrance of the harbor. It is a great pity that the Government cannot find money enough to erect and maintain a light house on Diamond Head, or some better system of lighting the channel up to the wharf than the imperfect and confusing array of dim nocturnal luminaries in use at the present time.

But it is home to us, and whatever attractions other places may have, Honolulu is good enough for us. We have found no place like it for agreeableness of climate, healthfulness of location or attractiveness of surroundings. One of the great pleasures of travel is the pleasure of the return to the home, its joys and privileges, its occupations, and duties; and we impatiently await the hour that will find us under its shelter, and mingling with the old friends again.

J. W. Bouton, of New York, owns a life-size portrait of Major John Andre. The portrait was picked up in a second-hand shop in London, and was painted by Andre himself.

## NEW YEAR WORDS

Stirring Address from Sir George Williams.

Williams.

### A Y. M. C. A. PRESIDENT

Head of the National Council  
"Christ's Presence our Inspiration"—Strong Men Wanted.

Following is the New Year's address for 1898 to Members of all Y. M. C. A.'s, from Sir George Williams, founder of the Association and now at the head of the National Council in London:

Beloved Fellow Workers and Members of the Young Men's Christian Association.  
The New Year upon which we enter today is a gift from God. It comes to us freighted with renewed opportunities, with continued privileges, and with increased responsibilities. We gratefully welcome this priceless gift, and, as we enter together upon another period of Association work, we would individually resolve that, by God's help, we will loyally and faithfully fulfill our sacred trust.

The past year, like those which have preceded it, has been crowded with blessing. God has set His seal upon our efforts. There has been steady growth in almost every direction. The traditions of the past have been fully maintained. The Y. M. C. A. is an increasing force and power in our land. The retrospect awakens profound gratitude, and fills our hearts with hope and courage for the future.

I rejoice to think of the thousands who, in connection with our Y. M. C. A.'s throughout the world, are witnessing for Jesus Christ, and are seeking, by example and precept, to win their fellow young men to Him. No figures can present the good effected by such an army of Christian soldiers. But there are multitudes of young men yet unreached. The battle still rages; the forces of evil are rampant; wickedness abounds. The attack must be continued, and must never cease until the joyful note of final victory is proclaimed. In the name of Christ, whom we serve, I summon you again to buckle on the armour and to prepare for the conflict. Let us re-dedicate ourselves to our Master and to our work, seek afresh those spiritual endowments which Christ is ever ready to bestow, and thus be the better equipped for the grand and glorious crusade to which we are called.

The Motto Text selected by the National Council—"Be strong, and work, for I am with you, saith the Lord of Hosts." (Haggai 2:4)—furnishes suggestions and lessons, especially appropriate to our personal life, and to our Association work. It suggests to us the topic—"Strength for Work: Christ's Presence Our Inspiration," which is the burden of our Year's message, and which I earnestly pray may be the instrument of blessing to all who read it.

With the circumstances under which the words were spoken we are all doubtless familiar. By the permission of a foreign power the Jews had returned to Jerusalem from their captivity in Babylon. They found the land which their fathers had conquered, and from which they had been expelled, neglected and deserted. This led them to become so engrossed in their family affairs, and so self-central in worldliness and covetousness, that they could not be persuaded to commence the re-building of the Temple, which had been burnt by the Chaldees. They intended to do so, but the time, they urged, was not come that the Lord's House should be built. Procrastination was the fruit of their selfishness. At this point the Lord, through His servant Haggai, sounded the trumpet call of duty. This aroused them from their indifference into definite and united action, and the building of the Temple was proceeded with. They were, however, almost immediately met with opposition and discouragement. Invidious and humiliating comparisons were drawn between the Temple they were rearing and the original Temple that had been destroyed. They lost heart, and were well-nigh ready to give up in despair. But at this critical juncture they were stimulated by words of inspiration and cheer.

Haggai promised them that the second Temple should be more glorious than the first, and, as if this were not sufficient, the Lord Himself, by His own voice, twice repeated, assured them in tones they could not mistake that He was with them. This put courage and energy into their hearts. They all, with a will, heartily united in the work. The walls rose, the building was completed, and, according to promise, the new House was lighted with glory transcending that which filled the ancient Temple of Solomon.

Dear brethren, we are engaged, not in the upraising of a material temple, but in a work infinitely more important. Every renewed nature forms part of a mighty whole that will find its unity in the spiritual temple which is being raised to the honor and glory of God.

We are permitted to co-operate in the upbuilding of this glorious Temple. Living men, with their boundless capabilities and immeasurable possibilities for good or evil, are the material upon which we are privileged to work. And we do not labor in vain. Many stones, rough and unshapely, have, to use a figure, been hewn from the quar-

ry of the Y. M. C. A., which shall finally contribute to the beauty and symmetry of the spiritual temple.

But in our work, like the Jews of old, we are often and too easily discouraged. History repeats itself. We meet with opposition. It frequently takes the form of the cynical sneer, the contemptuous laugh, and the supercilious taunt. Unfavorable comparisons are drawn between what we attempt and what we achieve, between our profession and our conduct of life. And we are thus depressed and discouraged. We are conscious of unworthiness—that at the best we are but unprofitable servants, and that our achievements are altogether incommensurate with our opportunities. But do not let us be unduly discouraged or lose heart. Let us rather profit from adverse criticism, even though it comes from unfriendly onlookers. Discouragement is fatal to progress. It is the weapon the Devil uses to defeat our good endeavors. The reason he uses it is because he finds it so effective, and one under which we so easily fall.

Brethren, suffer the word of gentle rebuke and exhortation. As Associations, let us give discouragement no place in our midst. There is no room for it. The building of the temple may not proceed as quickly as we desire, but it shall be completed. The topmost stone shall be laid amid the triumphant shouts of victory. We must not permit obstacles or opposition to hinder us. Rather let us trample them under our feet, and in a spirit of courageous, enthusiastic determination proceed with our work.

"Be strong and work, for I am with you, saith the Lord of Hosts."

This is a rousing, stirring call to action. My supreme desire is that it may be regarded as such by all our Y. M. C. A.'s throughout the world. It was originally addressed to Zerubabel the governor, to Joshua the high priest, and to all the remnant of the people. Not one was excluded. So now I would have every president, treasurer, secretary and individual member realize that it is a personal and definite call to duty. We need to press upon each other the recognition of personal obligation and responsibility, and to realize that the growth and usefulness of the work depend upon the individual effort put forth by each member.

The pressing cry of the hour is for strong men. They are wanted in all our Associations. We do not refer to physical strength merely, although this is an acquisition. The strength of active limbs and firm muscles is much to be desired. We believe in muscular and robust Christianity, and make provision for the upbuilding and development of a healthy vigorous body. But our present appeal is for strength of a higher and nobler order—strength of intellect, strength of will, strength of purpose. We need to be strong in our principles, strong in the eternal verities of our Christian faith, strong in those essential elements of Christian character which compose the highest form of manhood. This strength embodies all those qualities and properties of mind and heart which constitute our fitness for work. Being thus possessed, we shall be fortified for those critical conflicts which have to be fought out upon the battlefield of our own hearts, and shall also be equipped faithfully to labor on for Him, whose name we bear and whose kingdom and glory we are pledged to promote. "Be strong," we may say. The Divine call carries with it the possibility and promise of complete fulfillment.

Then we are to be strong and work. Work for God is worthy of our enthusiastic devotion and whole-hearted energy. It is the natural condition of healthy, vigorous Christian life. God calls at His servants to work for Him. Our Y. M. C. A.'s recognize this. It is involved in our membership. No member lacks opportunities for work. They abound in the position where God has placed him. We who are members pledge ourselves to seek to bring to Christ those with whom we daily associate. And here it is that "strength" is needed. It is not easy to speak on spiritual matters to those with whom we are familiar. Familiarity creates a barrier, to surmount.

I warmly commend the English "Year Book" of Y. M. C. A.'s to the careful perusal of every member. It is full of thrilling interest and encouraging information, and sets forth most comprehensively the far-reaching extent of our operations and the growth of our work. Facts and figures afford incontrovertible evidence that just as certainly as the Lord was with His ancient people in the building of the Temple, so he has been with us from the inception of the Association, and through all its history until the present hour.

It is under the inspiration of His promised presence that we enter upon another year of service. Herein is the source and secret of all our hope. "For I am with you, saith the Lord of Hosts." This is His word of cheer through me to all the Associations the world over. He is with us, not as a name out of a book, not as a character out of history, but by the power of His Holy Spirit, a blessed living Personality. He is working, and acting, and speaking through us.

Our strength is His strength, our work is His work.

All that has been accomplished in the past through the instrumentality of the Association has been wrought by the power and energy of the Holy Spirit of God. We ascribe all the praise and honor of Him. And it is because of His assured Presence in the future that we are filled with courage and confidence and hope.

"Be strong and work, for I am with you, saith the Lord of Hosts." My prayer is that we may one and all respond to this call, stir into activity all our latent powers, all the hidden forces of possibility which may be slumbering within our hearts; and as with our gathered strength we expend it in the Lord's service we may be cheered and animated by the Divine assurance that He whom we serve is continually with us.

May the Holy Spirit weave this inspiring promise into the texture of our spiritual life, that it may abide in our hearts, and find practical embodi-

ment in our daily life. If all our members are thus possessed, what a year of unspeakable blessing and abundant fruitfulness we shall have! The achievements of the past will be excelled, and the future glory of the Young Men's Christian Association shall far transcend the glory which has filled the years that are gone.  
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It took the Razzle Dazzles 2 hours and 20 minutes of hard ball playing on the afternoon of January 1, 1898, to "put it over" the Tararas. At the end of the first contest of the New Year, Capt. Al Moore was almost in tears and Capt. Harry Wilder was correspondingly exultant. There was no partisanship in the grand stand, that amounted to anything like the demonstrations of preferences shown in the league games. Colors were worn by a good many of the men and by lots of the ladies. Nearly everybody who takes a direct or close interest in the game had friends in both of the picked lines. Good plays, which were not infrequent, were given hearty applause. The game began promptly at 3 o'clock, as advertised. The receipts should net the "Strangers' Friend Society" close to \$300. Only on the Fourth of July, when there is no admission fee, does the ball grounds hold in these later years such a crowd as witnessed the contest of New Year's Day. There was standing room only in every section of the stand. Nearly 100 carriages were out and a number of spectators were in the field. W. Lucas and J. O. Carter Jr., were the umpires. The hitting and outfielding were features of the game. Allen Jones, who played at second for the Razzles, promises to be a valuable acquisition to the ranks of local players. He is a fine base runner. The weather was ideal for an exhibition game. The light was soft and the air cool. When the boys had warmed up they played ball for all there was in them. Following is a detailed account of the game:

### FIRST INNING.

Razzles—Wilder flew out to Hart. Casey Willis struck out. Lishman sent a daisy cutter into left, just inside the foul line and easily came home on it. Gorman flew out to Moore.

Tararas—Moore struck out. Mahuka made a base hit. Hart tapped to short and was thrown out. Mahuka went to second and stole third. Davis went to deep center for two bags and Mahuka came home.

Score—Razzles 1, Tararas 0.

### SECOND INNING.

Razzles—Jones struck out. Clark made a nice base hit and went to second on a passed ball. Kiley hit into left for two bases and Clark came home. Kaanol made a base hit, advancing Kiley to third. Kaanol stole second. Mayne made a three bagger bringing Kiley and Kaanol home. Wilder made a base hit. Mayne came home. Chris Holt made a short hit and was thrown out at first by Moore. Wilder went to second. With Lishman at bat, Davis threw out Wilder, who tried to steal third.

Tararas—Lemon took base on balls. Pryce flew out to Kaanol. Lemon stole second. Lemon stole third. Hansmann made a sacrifice bunt and Lemon came home. Luahiwa took base on balls and made second with a pretty slide. Moore by a slide made second on a base hit and Luahiwa came home.

Score—Razzles 4, Tararas 2.

### THIRD INNING.

Razzles—Lishman made third on what was almost a foul but was called fair. Gorman flew out to Hansmann and Lishman came home. Jones went to first on balls and stole second and then made home on Clark's speedy three bagger. Kiley struck out. Kaanol flew out to Hansmann, leaving Clark on third.

Tararas—Hart made a wee hit which Mayne fielded putting the batter out at first. Davis tapped into center and had such a start that he made third on Pahu's base hit. Pahu stole second. Lemon took base on balls. Pryce came up and lined it out to two bags bringing home Davis, Lemon and Pahu. Hansmann flew out to Gorman and Luahiwa to Willis.

Score—Razzles 2, Tararas 3.

### FOURTH INNING.

Razzles—Mayne flew out to Luahiwa. Wilder made a base hit into center and went clear to third on Pahu's miss of Lemon's surprise throw. Willis flew out to Moore, who made a fine running catch. Lishman flew out to Hansmann.

Tararas—Moore took first on balls and made a regular grand stand steal of second. Mahuka flew out on a liner to Jones. Lishman dropped Hart's line drive threw him out at first. Moore went to third. Lishman took in Davis high fly.

Score—Razzles 0, Tararas 0.

### FIFTH INNING.

Razzles—Gorman made a short hit and was thrown out at first by Moore. Jones flew out to Moore. Clarke flew out to Moore.

Tararas—Pahu drove the ball into right for two bases. Lemon flew out to Kaanol and Pahu was put out trying to make third. Kaanol made a good throw. Pryce made a short hit and was thrown out at first by Jones.

Score—Razzles 0, Tararas 0.

### SIXTH INNING.

Razzles—Kiley fouled and Davis took it in. Kaanol flew out to Pryce. Mayne's hit was too swift for Moore and landed the batter on first. Jones went to first on balls and stole second and then made home on Clark's speedy three bagger. Kiley struck out. Kaanol flew out to Hansmann, leaving Clark on third.

Tararas—Hansmann came up with Gorman behind the bat, with Kiley in the left garden. Hansmann took first on balls and stole second. Gorman dropped the third strike and Luahiwa made first. Hansmann was put out between second and third. Luahiwa made second and third on Jones' miss of Gorman's throw. Moore made a short hit which Lishman threw home but Luahiwa beat it and Moore made first. Mayne made a balk but the umpire failed to see it and declared Moore out. Mahuka made a hit to the pitcher and beat the ball to first. Hart struck out.

Score—Razzles 0, Tararas 1.

### SEVENTH INNING.

Razzles—Lishman hit into left for two bases. Gorman struck out. Lishman stole third on a slide. Jones fouled out to Davis. Clark flew out to Pryce.

on balls and sneaked to second, that bag being forsaken for the moment. Hart flew out to Lishman, leaving Mahuka on second.

Score—Razzles 1, Tararas 1.

NINTH INNING.

Razzles—Wilder hit into left for two bases. Willis made first on a short hit and Wilder went to third. Willis went to third and Wilder came home on a passed ball. Lishman made first and second on Hansmann's muff and bad throw. Gorman hit for two bases advancing Lishman to third. Jones flew out to Moore and Moore touched Gorman out. Clarke made a base hit and brought Lishman home. Kiley made a three base hit and Clarke scored. Kaanol struck out, leaving Kiley at third.

Tararas—Davies flew out to Jones. Pahu flew out to Kaanol. Lemon flew out to Jones.

Score—Razzles 3, Tararas 0.

The teams were made up as follows:

Tararas—Lemon, p. Davis, c. Pahu, 1st b. Mahuka, 2d b. Hart, 3d b. Moore, ss. Luahiwa, L. F. Hansmann, c. f. Pryce, r. f.

Razzles—Davies—Mayne, p. Kiley and Gorman, c. Willis, 1st b. Jones, 2d b. Clarke, 3d b. Lishman, ss. Kaanol, 1 f. Wilder, c. f. Kiley and Gorman r. f.

Score by innings:

Razzles ..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 ..... 11  
Tararas ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ..... 0

## KAPAA CHRISTMAS.

That Tie Ball Game—Tug-of-war. Luan—Tree—Dance.

In a letter from Kauai, received on the W. G. Hall yesterday, was contained the following notes in regard to the Christmas events in Kapaa, very brief mention of which was made in the Advertiser a few days since:

The Christmas races at Kapaa turned out very successful, and were witnessed by a fairly large crowd. They commenced about the same time as the baseball game, but concluded sometime before.

The baseball game resulted in a tie. Makee Sugar Co. 10; Kilauea Sugar Co. 10.

Although the game was a long drawn out affair, yet it was close from the start, and if it hadn't been for an honest mistake by the umpire, the Makee Sugar Co. team would undoubtedly have won the game.

The man who came in with the winning run was sent back to his base on a blocked ball, which was delivered immediately by one of the players, from where it was blocked to the plate, in lieu of delivering it to the pitcher.

The sports were witnessed by a large crowd and turned out very successfully. Kealla carried off the "honors" in the tug-of-war, both with Kapaa and Lihue. Lihue did not and could not get its strongest team together. Those who participated in the Lihue team were gathered on the ground in short notice.

At the conclusion of the sports, a luau was spread, principally for the plantation people.

In the evening they had a tree in the hall, and after that part of the day's events, a dance followed. This was much enjoyed by all. Quite a delegation of Kapaa and Kealla folks attended, but not more than two or three from Lihue.

The Makee Sugar Co. and Kilauea Sugar Co. baseball teams will play off the tie game of Christmas on the 17th inst. This will decide the championship of 1897.

## THEO. F. LANSING.

This Gentleman Resigns as Phillips & Co. Manager.

The local business world was treated to considerable of a surprise yesterday. The announcement that Theo. F. Lansing had retired from the management of the house of M. Phillips & Co., was made. Mr. Lansing had been with the house 15 years and was regarded as a fixture there. He leave the firm to better himself and to their regret and with their best wishes.

Mr. Lansing, who is very well known and highly esteemed here, will form a business connection with A. V. Gear. The firm name will be Gear, Lansing & Co. This combination will do a general real estate, insurance, agency and finance business. Mr. Lansing has for a long time had extensive interests in various directions outside Phillips & Co., and came to the conclusion that he would cut loose from the establishment with which he had been so long and prominently identified. Mannie Phillips is likely to succeed Mr. Lansing as manager for M. Phillips & Co.

## MILK IN WATER.

Result of an Analysis by Dr. Monsarrat.

For a long time past it has been a question in the minds of many who frequent the Chinese restaurants of the city whether or not there is pure milk served up at those places or whether the proprietors for reasons of their own, dilute it with water. No one had attempted an analysis up until a day or two ago. The law provides that any agent of the Board of Health may go into places of the kind and, in case the milk found there is diluted, may confiscate and do away with the same.

Dr. Monsarrat, the veteran and inspector sent a boy around to one of the Chinese restaurants of the city with the instruction to buy a nickel's worth of milk. At first, the boy did not succeed, but upon urging the proprietor, a small amount was at last procured. Dr. Monsarrat set to work at once to make an analysis of the milk and was surprised to find that 60 per cent of it was water. Upon looking up the laws in the matter he found them very vague, making no provisions whatever for cases such as the one he had just come upon.

While talking on the matter just referred to, Dr. Monsarrat took occasion to remark upon the very bad habit that some people have of driving milk

wagons about the streets without anything written or painted upon them to distinguish them from other conveyances of the kind. He believes that everyone possessing a license and selling or delivering milk on a cart, should be required to have something placed on his wagon indicating the nature of the business.

Again, there are a lot of people in town selling milk to their neighbors and others who have no license. The law requires that anyone selling milk, no matter whether it be but a small fraction of a quart a day, shall obtain a license. At a meeting of the Board of Health several months ago, Dr. Monsarrat submitted to the Board, a list of the people he had found selling milk without a license and in a very short space of time they had all secured licenses. Now he has some eight or ten more on the list and will soon turn these into the Board. He says that the dairies of the city are beginning to complain and that if the thing keeps on very much longer they will refuse to pay for their licenses.

## Claudine's Trip.

The Claudine arrived in port yesterday afternoon from Maui and Hawaii ports with reports of a very rough voyage both up and down. Notwithstanding this fact, the Claudine landed all her freight and got back into port in good shape.

The Santiago and J. M. Coleman had both arrived in Hilo when the Claudine made that port.

Wainaku has been grinding for a week.

Captain Matson and family, well known here as a big owner in a line of vessels that bears his name, came down to Honolulu on the Claudine.

## Annexation Delegation.

"It is in the air" to send an annexation delegation of Hawaiians to Washington without delay. The proposal comes from some officers or members of the Annexation Club. There has been mention but no discussion of it in the Cabinet. The first name used was that of Noah Kopeikai of Maui. John Ena has been spoken of as well as S. K. Kane and J. M. Poepeo.

## EXTREME NERVOUSNESS.

FREQUENTLY BRINGS ITS VICTIM TO THE VERGE OF INSANITY.

The Case of a Young Lady Who Suffered Severely—Given Up by Two Doctors—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Have Restored Her to Health.

From the Smith's Falls (Canada) News.

Many cases have been reported of how invalids who had suffered for years and whose case had been given up by the attending physician, have been restored to health and vigor through that now world-famed medicine, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, but we doubt if there is one more startling or more convincing than that of Miss Elizabeth Minshull, who resides with her brother, Mr. Thos. Minshull, of this town, an employee in Frost & Wood's Agricultural Works. The News heard of this remarkable case, and meeting Mr. Minshull asked him if the story was correct. He replied: "A I know is that my sister had been given up as incurable by two physicians. She is now well enough to do any kind of housework and can go and come as she pleases, and this change has, it is my honest conviction, been brought about by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." Mr. Minshull then related the following story of the case:—"My sister is twenty years of age. She came to Canada from England about ten years ago, and resided with a Baptist minister, Rev. Mr. Cody, at Sorel Que. In April, of 1896, she took ill and gradually grew worse. She was under a local physician's care for over five months. The doctor said that she was suffering from a complication of nervous diseases, and that he could, do little for her. The minister with whom she lived then wrote me of my sister's state of health, and I had her come to Smith's Falls, in the hope that change and rest would do her good. When she arrived here she was in a very weak state and a local physician was called to see her. He attended her for some time, but with poor results, and finally acknowledged that the case was one which he could do very little for. My sister had by this time become a pitiable object; the slightest noise would disturb her, and the slightest exertion would almost make her insane. It required someone to be with her at all times, and often after a fit of extreme nervousness she would become unconscious and remain in that state for hours. When I went home I had to take my boots off at the doorstep so as not to disturb her. When the doctor told me he could do nothing for her, I consulted with my wife, who had great faith in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as she knew of several cases where they had worked wonderful cures, and I concluded it would do no harm to try them anyway, and mentioned the fact to the doctor. The doctor did not oppose their use, but said he thought they might do her good, as they were certainly a good medicine. In September of last year she began to use the pills, and before two boxes had been used, she began to show signs of improvement. She has continued their use since and is today a living testimony of the curative power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Minshull has no hesitation in sounding the praises of a remedy that has worked such a change in the health of his sister and cheerfully gave the News the above particulars, and when asked to do so most willingly signed the following declaration:—

"Smith's Falls, Sept. 11th, 1897.

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The above Insurance Companies have established a General Agency here, and the undersigned, General Agents, are authorized to take risks against the dangers of the seas at the most reasonable rates and on the most favorable terms.

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Capital of the company and reserve, reichsmarks 6,000,000

Capital their reinsurances companies 101,650,000

Total reichsmarks 107,650,000

## North German Fire Insurance Company

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Total reichsmarks 43,500,000

The undersigned, General Agents of the above two companies for the Hawaiian Islands, are prepared to insure Buildings, Furniture, Merchandise and Produce, Marine and Vessels in the harbor, against loss of damage by fire on the most favorable terms.

H. HACKFELD & CO.



## IS BARELY SAVED

Hard Fight to Keep the S. S. Kaena on the Water.

## SHE WAS ALL BUT SWAMPED

Men Have to Work for Their Lives and the Steamer at the Same Time—Were Narrow Escapes.

The steamer Kaena arrived yesterday morning in a state of dilapidation after having been absent from this port since last Monday morning. At that time she started out for her usual Oahu landings with freight. In the afternoon of the same day she stopped at Makua and, the weather looking very bad around the point, Captain Wilson determined to remain there over night. The morning would be plenty of time to proceed. When the next day dawned, the weather had not brightened a bit but the captain thought best to proceed, so the Kaena started out. She was on her way to Waialua, but the weather was so bad that it was deemed best to put in at Waianae. Here the Kaena lay over night with the wind blowing and the rain pouring down in torrents.

On Wednesday morning, the Kaena set out again and made for Puuiki. The seas were quite high along the way but the sailors say that the passage into the place was all right and that the Kaena could have gone into Puuiki without any trouble. However, when half way up the channel, the command, "Starboard" was given and the men at the wheel obeyed. There was trouble at once. A huge sea struck the Kaena on the port side and the bow with quite serious results. The rudder and the guard of boards above it, were smashed and would have been carried to sea had it not been for the pieces of iron that refused to be detached.

Meanwhile the captain and the sailors were trying their best to get hold of some object on the steamer to keep them from being washed overboard. The second mate was washed from the bow to the wheel house where he fortunately caught hold of the steps leading to the upper deck and was saved. One of the sailors was washed overboard but luckily the force of the water had driven the main sheet out into the sea just in time for the native to grasp it and thereby get aboard the steamer again.

The chief engineer, George Friedenberg, was one of the men who had a very narrow escape from being drowned. He was hard at his work in the engine room when the sea struck and was of course thrown down. He jumped to his feet and grabbed for the door, thinking to keep the water out and thereby save the fires. The water was too strong, the door was burst open and the engineer again thrown down. Nothing daunted, he made another attempt at the door and succeeded in closing it, but by this time there was a crack overhead and the water came down in a perfect flood. Mr. Friedenberg thought it was about time to get out, so he took the other door and made his escape to the deck above.

There, everything was in confusion. The sailors were all in the boats ready to be lowered away in case the Kaena should happen to go down. The commands were given just in time to save the ship. The men were made to go to work with whatever they could lay their hands on to bail out the water, and all other utensils were washed overboard. The fires had been put out by the water and it was deemed very necessary to get the steamer where she would be in no immediate danger. In a very short time, such a place had been reached and the men continued their work. When this was done, and things were dried up a bit, the fires were again started and the Kaena put into a place of safety.

The chief engineer tells of the very miraculous escape of two Japanese firemen. He had just gotten up on deck when he discovered that they were in the room with him before the sea struck the steamer, he opened the door and there found the poor fellows cooped up and in a very precarious condition. He pulled them out to a place of safety and in a little while they were all right again.

It was not advisable that the Kaena should take on any freight as she was in no proper condition, so, when all things were in as good condition as possible, the Kaena put back again into port. It will be quite a number of days before she will be able to get to sea again.

### DORIC ARRIVES.

She Comes Into Port at an Early Hour.

The O. & O. S. S. Doric, Smith commander, arrived in port and hauled alongside the Pacific Mail wharf at 3:15 o'clock this morning, about 6-12 days from San Francisco. She left about ten minutes before the O. S. S. Australia in the company of which she remained for about three days. On Friday last, a very heavy storm was met with. At 1 p. m., December 30, the Doric arrived, caught sight of the Australia, about 25 miles astern. The latter brings all the mail. The Doric has some machinery for this port.

Among the passengers for this port are the following: Senator Waterhouse and his daughter, Mrs. Corbett. The Senator said to a re-

porter: "There is a big fight going on over annexation but I have studied the situation well and feel that Hawaii will soon be a part of the United States."

Wm. H. Cameron and H. E. Rose of the San Francisco Chronicle who come here for a stay.

Following are the Doric's passengers: H. Waterhouse, Mrs. D. W. Corbett, Lieut. Comdr J. B. Briggs, U. S. N., Lieut. W. P. Elliott, U. S. N., Mrs. S. R. Runyon, Mrs. Susy Runyon, Edward L. Beach, U. S. N., Mrs. Edward L. Beach, Otto Schmidt, H. E. Rose, Miss Grace Runyon.

### THROUGH:

T. Tanaka, J. J. Leiria, Mrs. J. J. Leiria, Mrs. C. W. Hewitt, M. Funakoshi, Mrs. M. Funakoshi and infant, C. W. Hewitt, Col. Tamura, G. C. Cobb, Mrs. G. C. Cobb and child, H. C. Sherman, Mrs. H. C. Sherman and infant, C. E. Geddes, C. E. Geddes, Aloysa Lamu, Wm. Martin, J. T. Proctor, G. E. Sevey, Dr. Justin E. Harlan, Mrs. Justin E. Harlan and child, Miss Sarah Martin, Mrs. J. T. Proctor, W. N. Crane, Mrs. W. N. Crane, J. R. Denyes, Mrs. J. R. Denyes, Miss Edna Raymond, Mrs. Jennie Ray, H. Burnett, R. C. Givens, Mrs. R. C. Givens, Albert Imhofe.

### 'Fri-co Shipping

The Morning Star has been heard of. According to latest advices from San Francisco, the Star was working among the Caroline Islands. Captain Bray had been very ill.

The long looked for ship S. P. Hitchcock arrived in San Francisco on the night of December 23d, 162 days from New York. So much fear was felt for her safety that 15 per cent reinsurance was paid. The Hitchcock will load sugar here for New York.

The S. N. Castle arrived in San Francisco, December 27th.

The bark Athelbert arrived in Astoria from this port, December 15th.

The P. M. S. S. China arrived in San Francisco on December 23d, 5 days, 7 hours, 41 minutes from this port. This beats her own record, the fastest between the two ports, by one hour. During the whole trip from Yokohama to San Francisco, the China averaged 419 3/4 knots per day.

Captain Zeeder, chief officer of the steamship China, has been appointed to the command of the Aztec in place of Captain Catermich, who takes the Acapulco. Captain Vrugiere of the Acapulco will continue in that vessel in the capacity of chief officer.—S. F. Chronicle.

The bark Mohican arrived in San Francisco on December 26th, 29 days from Honolulu.

According to latest advices, the Mauna Ala from this port had not yet arrived in San Francisco.

### Short Handed.

The telephone exchange is very short handed just now, and the operators who have remained, have their hands full. Two new boys are now being broken in and will soon be able to take their places at the switch board as full fledged operators.

### To be Wedded.

The engagement is announced of J. L. Travis of the Star and Miss F. B. Beezley of Gainsborough, Tex.

The engagement is announced of A. F. Clark, with Huxtable & Co., to Miss E. R. Osmond.

According to San Francisco papers, Harry Corson Clarke of the Frawley Co. and Miss Alice Deming, daughter of Edw. Deming of the Deming-Palmer Milling, are engaged to be married.

### BORN.

BURNETTE—In this city, January 2, 1898, to the wife of P. H. Burnette, a son.

### WHARF AND WAVE.

The U. S. S. Adams will not sail for San Francisco until Thursday.

The James Mabee will not leave for Kauai until Thursday as there are some repairs on her machinery necessary.

Carpenters were set to work on the Kaena yesterday and all her broken parts were taken out. Work will be rushed so as to get the steamer out at the earliest date possible.

The John D. Spreckels could not get men to discharge her lumber yesterday so work along that line had to be postponed until today. The Spreckels will load sugar for San Francisco.

The American brigantine John D. Spreckels, Christian master, arrived in port yesterday forenoon, 15 days from Eureka, Cal., with a cargo of lumber for Wilder & Co. A pleasant trip was the experience of the Spreckels.

The bark Iredale began loading sugar for H. Hackfeld & Co., Ltd., at the Oceanic wharf yesterday. She will take 2,500 tons and sail for the Coast. At Oakland Pier her sugar will be discharged and from there taken overland to New York.

Report of W. G. Hall—Sugar left on Kauai, Saturday afternoon: K. M. S., 1,400 bags; Waimea, 600; Mak., 1,800; K. P., 1,100; Lihue, 480; H. M., 600; M. S. Co., 3,000; K. S. Co., 9,300; E. L. P., no communication. Total, 18,280 bags. Rainy weather all over Kauai with light S. E. winds. Steamer Waialeale weatherbound at Hanalei. Left that port for Kapaa at 10 a. m. Saturday but returned to Hanalei at 11:45, it being too rough to land. Coming across the channel Hall experienced light S. E. winds with easterly sea and rain squalls. Smooth weather reported at Kilauea.

Schilling's Best baking powder is such baking powder as you would ask us to make if you knew the facts.

A Schilling & Company San Francisco 2012.

Read the Hawaiian Gazette (Semi-Weekly).

### Notice to Ship Captains.

U. S. Branch Hydrographic Office, San Francisco, Cal.

By communicating with the Branch Hydrographic Office in San Francisco, captains of vessels who will co-operate with the Hydrographic Office by recording the meteorological observations suggested by the office, can have forwarded to them at any desired port, and free of expense, the monthly pilot charts of the North Pacific Ocean and the latest information regarding the dangers to navigation in the waters which they frequent.

Mariners are requested to report to the office dangers discovered, or any other information which can be utilized for correcting charts or sailing directions, or in the publication of the pilot charts of the North Pacific.

W. S. HUGHES, Lieutenant, United States Navy.

### SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

#### VESSELS IN PORT.

##### NAVAL.

U. S. S. Baltimore, Commander Dyer, San Francisco, November 7.  
U. S. S. Bennington, Commander Nichols, from cruise about Maui.  
U. S. S. Adams, Gibson, cruise, December 22.

##### MERCHANTMEN.

(This list does not include Coasters.)  
Haw. bk. Nuuanu, Josselyn, N. Y., November 12.

Am. ship Tillie E. Starbuck, Curtis, Newcastle, October 23.

Br. bk. Iredale, Plunkett, Liverpool, November 5.

Bkt. Irmgard, Schmidt, San Francisco, December 9.

Am. bk. Fresno, Underwood, Puget Sound, December 13.

Am. bk. R. P. Rithet, Thompson, San Francisco, December 13.

Am. bk. A. W. Spies, Godett, New York, December 13.

Am. bktn. S. G. Wilder, McNeil, San Francisco, December 20.

Am. schr. Robert Lewers, Goodman, Port Townsend, December 20.

Am. schr. Emma and Louisa, Harris, San Diego, Cal., December 21.

Am. bktn. Encore, Panno, Caleta Buena, Chile, December 21.

Am. bktn. Kikikat, Cutler, Port Townsend, December 23.

Am. brig. Wm. G. Irwin, Williams, San Francisco, December 24.

Am. schr. Martha Davis, Soule, San Francisco, December 26.

Am. bgtn. John D. Spreckels, Christensen, Eureka, Cal., December 31.

#### ARRIVALS.

Friday, December 31.

Smr. J. A. Cummins, Searle, from Oahu ports.

Smr. Mikahala, Thompson, from Kauai ports.

Smr. Ke Au Hou, Thompson, from Kauai ports.

Smr. Claudine, Cameron, from Maui and Hawaii ports.

Smr. Kaena, Wilson, from Oahu ports.

Am. bgtn. John D. Spreckels, Christensen, 15 days from Eureka.

Saturday, January 1.

Smr. Mokoli, Bennett, from Molokai, Maui and Lanai.

Sunday, January 2.

Smr. Helene, Freeman, from Maui ports.

Smr. W. G. Hall, Haglund, from Kauai ports.

#### DEPARTURES.

Friday, December 31.

Smr. Mauna Loa, Simerson, for Maui and Hawaii ports.

Smr. Noeua, Pederson, for Lahaina, Honokaa and Kukuhaele.

Smr. Waialeale, Parker, for Kapaa.

Am. schr. Transit, Jorgensen, for San Francisco.

Am. bktn. Archer, Calhoun, for San Francisco.

Am. bk. Albert, Griffiths, for San Francisco.

Am. brig. W. G. Irwin, Williams, for San Francisco.

Am. bktn. W. H. Dimond, Nilson, for San Francisco.

Monday, January 3.

Smr. J. A. Cummins, Searle, for Oahu ports.

Smr. Mokoli, Bennett, for Lahaina, Molokai and Lanai.

Smr. Kaala, Mosher, for Kahuku and Punaluu.

Smr. Kauai, Bruhn, for Makaweli, Waimea and Kekaha.

Smr. Mikahala, Thompson, for Naliwilli and Hanalei.

Smr. Ke Au Hou, Thompson, for Kilauea and Hanalei.

#### VESSELS LEAVING TODAY.

Smr. Kinau, Clarke, for Lahaina, Maialaia, Kihel, Makana, Mahukona, Kaula, Pepeekeo, Onomea, Papakou and Hilo, at 10 a. m. (Laupahoehoe, mail and passengers only).

Smr. Claudine, Cameron, for Lahaina, Kahului, Keanae, Hana, Hamoa and Kihikihiki, at 5 p. m.

Smr. Lehua, Andrews, for Olowali, Koholale, Honohina, Hakalau, Hononu and Pohakunuanu, at 4 p. m.

Smr. W. G. Hall, Haglund, for Naliwilli (passengers only), Koloa, Elele and Hanapepe, at 5 p. m.

#### PASSENGERS.

##### Arrivals.

From Kauai ports, per smr. Mikahala, December 31—Miss A. Blackstad, Master J. Kube, W. Dannhauser and 4 on deck.

From Maui and Hawaii ports, per smr. Claudine, December 31—C. L. Wright, G. P. Wilder, Capt. W. Matson, wife and daughter, Miss Kate Kelley, H. P. Eakin, F. Smith and wife, Wabbe and wife, J. A. E. Resor, Mrs. Shelley, F. Souza, Mrs. E. G. Hitchcock, Miss M. Hitchcock, V. M. Fulcher, Miss E. Pierce, E. D. Baldwin, C. A. Holt, M. U. Yeda, G. R. Harrison, Miss M. E. Maby, Miss Hafuth, Miss Ely, Mrs. J. E. Barnard, Mrs. O. A. Stevens and 2 children, H. S. Townsend, wife and 3 children, Dr. J. W. Waughop, Mrs. N. R. Eldredge, Thos. Nott, Sam Johnson, Tong Hop, J. E. Miller, Miss R. K. Amara, Miss H. Amara, and 68 deck passengers.

From Maui ports, per smr. Helene, January 2—C. F. Chillingworth, W. S. Hardy, J. Souza, M. Cabral, Miss B. Akana, Master Heapy, Master Enos, Master Roe, Master Hopke, P. McLane, K. S. Gjerdum, Misses Smith (2), Miss Palacki, Miss Hopke, Mrs. Sang On, Miss Alama, Watanabe, Awana, Y. Young, wife, 2 children and servant, Ah Kan, Ah King, Wong Wa, Y. Aheong, Tong How, S. W. Meheula and 22 deck.

From Kauai ports, per smr. W. G. Hall, January 2—W. H. Rice and wife, Miss D. Rice, Miss M. Rice, Master H. Rice, Master P. Rice, Wm. Brede, H. Isenberg, H. K. Anaku, Ng Fawn Hing Shun, F. W. Macfarlane, Wm. Eassie, Dr. H. Wood, E. Wood, J. R. Bush, F. Mendes, G. Haskes, Mrs. F. Bertelmann and children, Wee Kai, Tam Sick Che and 37 on deck.

#### Departures.

For San Francisco, per bktn. Archer, December 31—H. C. Holt, W. H. Reed, Miss Mary Farnum.

For Kona and Kau, per smr. Mauna Loa, December 31. Volcano: W. B. Godfrey, Jr. Way ports: W. Kaluskin, Miss Bertha Bindt, J. P. O'Conner, A. W. Carter, J. Waterhouse, Mrs. M. Pedro, Miss Abbie Hose, Mrs. J. N. Robinson, Miss Roy, Miss Willis, Miss A. Gurney, Miss Kammer, Miss G. Gurney, Miss Ida Horner and 40 deck.

For San Francisco, per bktn. W. H. Dimond, December 31—Mrs. J. B. Agnew, Mrs. W. Young.

For Kauai, per smr. Mikahala, January 3—S. W. Meheula and Wm. Eassie.

#### IMPORTS.

From Eureka, Cal., per bgtn. John D. Spreckels, December 31—207,951 ft. lumber, 200 bxs. apples and 1 horse.

#### EXPORTS.

For San Francisco, per bktn. Archer, December 31—16,935 bags sugar weighing 2,092,377 lbs., valued at \$70,784.83 and shipped as follows: 5,077 bags by C. Brewer & Co.; 7,563 do by F. A. Schaefer & Co.; and 4,295 do by Castle & Cooke to Williams, Dimond & Co.; 100 bags coffee by Castle & Cooke and 74 do by I. L. S. N. Co. Total value of cargo, \$72,728.93.

For San Francisco, per bktn. W. H. Dimond, December 31—7,641 bags sugar weighing 955,125 lbs., valued at \$39,195 and shipped as follows: 2,500 bags by W. G. Irwin & Co. to J. D. Spreckels & Bros. Co.; 5,141 do by M. S. Grinbaum & Co. to M. S. Grinbaum & Co.; also 770 bags rice by M. S. Grinbaum & Co., 2,000 by Hyman Bros. and 110 bags coffee by Hyman Bros. Total value of cargo, \$52,475.

For San Francisco, per bgtn. Wm. G. Irwin, December 31—8,490 bags sugar weighing 1,021,255 lbs., valued at \$39,666 and shipped as follows: 705 bags by H. Waterhouse & Co. to Williams, Dimond & Co.; 2,000 do by M. S. Grinbaum & Co. to M. S. Grinbaum & Co.; 5,875 do by W. G. Irwin & Co. to J. D. Spreckels & Bros.; also 200 bags rice and 100 bags coffee shipped by M. Phillips & Co. Total value of cargo, \$42,156.

For San Francisco, per schr. Transit, December 31—16,163 bags sugar weighing 1,894,233 lbs., valued at \$69,500 and shipped by H. Hackfeld & Co., Ltd. to Williams, Dimond & Co.

#### METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

By the Government Survey. Published Every Monday.

DAY.	BAROM.	WIND.	TEMP.	REL. HUM.	WIND.	TEMP.	REL. HUM.
1898.	9 A.M.	8 A.M.	5 A.M.	5 A.M.	8 A.M.	5 A.M.	5 A.M.
Mon.	30.10	13.00	60	69	77	59	ENE 3
Tues.	30.14	13.00	62	68	80	55	ENE 1
Wed.	30.10	13.00	65	65	78	62	ENE 1-5
Thurs.	30.10	13.00	65	65	78	62	ENE 1-5
Friday	30.10	13.00	65	65	78	62	ENE 1-5
Saturday	30.10	13.00	65	65	78	62	ENE 1-5
Sunday	30.10	13.00	65	65	78	62	ENE 1-5

Barometer corrected for temperature and elevation, but not for gravity.

#### TIDES, SUN AND MOON.

DAY.	Jan.	Jan.	Jan.	Jan.	Jan.	Jan.	Jan.
1898.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th
Mon.	1.15	7.10	5.31	9.16	6.39	5.31	2.10
Tues.	1.22	7.17	5.37	9.24	6.45	5.37	2.17
Wed.	1.29	7.24	5.44	9.31	6.52	5.44	2.24
Thurs.	1.36	7.31	5.51	9.38	6.59	5.51	2.31
Friday	1.43	7.38	5.58	9.45	7.06	5.58	2.38
Saturday	1.50	7.45	6.05	9.52	7.13	6.05	2.45
Sunday	1.57	7.52	6.12	9.59	7.20	6.12	2.52

The tides and moon phases are given in standard time. The time of sun and moon rising and setting being given for all ports in the group are in local time, to which the respective corrections to standard time applicable to each different port should be made.

The standard time whistle sounds at 12 m. (middle), Greenwich time, which is 10 m. p. m. of Hawaiian Standard time.

#### F. SOUZA.

Expert Coffee Planter with over 15 years' experience in Cultivating Coffee at Guatemala, Central America, offers his services as Manager of one or several adjoining plantations. Please address to F. SOUZA, Care of Messrs. H. Hackfeld & Co., 4785-1m 1923-1m Honolulu, H. I.

#### STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

The regular yearly meeting of the stockholders of the Maui Telephone Company will be held at the office of Pala Plantation at Pala, Maui, on Saturday, January 8th, 1898, at 2:30 p. m.

C. H. DICKEY, Secretary.

#### NOTICE.

The California Fruit Market (P. G. Camarinos & Co.) will purchase all kinds of produce, fruits and poultry in either large or small quantities. Persons residing on Oahu or any of the other islands having turkey, chickens, eggs, butter, oranges, limes, aligator pears, or any other kind of marketable produce, fruits or poultry, can send the same to them and get the market price.

Honolulu, 7th Sept., 1897.

## Pacific Mail Steamship Co.

## Occidental & Oriental Steamship Co.

Steamers of the above companies will call at Honolulu and leave this port on or about the dates below mentioned.

#### FOR SAN FRANCISCO:

PERU ..... Jan. 8  
COPTIC ..... Jan. 18  
GAELIC ..... Feb. 6  
CITY OF PEKING ..... Feb. 15  
CHINA ..... Mar. 6  
BELGIC ..... Mar. 15  
COPTIC ..... Apr. 2

#### FOR JAPAN AND CHINA:

DORIC ..... Jan. 4  
BELGIC ..... Jan. 22  
PERU ..... Feb. 1  
RIO DE JANEIRO ..... Feb. 19